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CERTIFIED MAIL (Return Receipt Requested)

Mr. Erez Goldgrabber, Owner Bromide Mining, Inc. 28 East 100 North Hanksville, Utah 84734

Dear Mr. Goldgrabber:

Subject:

Requirement for coverage under the Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System

(UPDES) Multi Sector General Permit for Storm Water Discharges from Industrial

Activities.

This is to inform you that you are required by State rules and regulations, Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R317-8-3.9, to obtain coverage under the UPDES Multi Sector General Permit for Storm Water Discharges from Industrial Activities. Specifically you are required to obtain coverage under Sectors G and J for Storm water discharges from Metal and Mineral Mining Facilities. The permit requires the development and implementation of a storm water pollution prevention plan for the facility.

At the time of the inspection your facility did not have permit coverage and had not developed a storm water pollution prevention plan. DWQ issues the Industrial Storm Water Permit for a period of 5 years but staggers them under 5 different groups to disperse the work load for renewals. The group your facility falls under expires December 31, 2017. You will need to apply for permit coverage and pay the yearly fee of \$150. Permit coverage can be obtained on-line at the following link: http://www.waterquality.utah.gov/UPDES/stormwaterind.htm.

Please apply for permit coverage with 30 days of receipt of this letter. Failure to do so may result in further enforcement proceedings, including penalties of up to \$10,000 per violation per day.

If you have any questions concerning this letter or the permit do not hesitate to contact me at (801) 536-4393. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mike George, Environmental Scientist

UPDES Storm Water Section

MG/nf

Enclosures(2):

1. 3560 (DWQ-2016-012906_1)

2. Photo Log (DWQ-2016-012906_2)

cc:

Robert Beers, Environmental Director, Southwest Public Health Dept., w/encl.

Wayne Western, Environmental Scientist, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, w/encl.

Paul Wright, DEQ District Engineer, w/encl.

Sue Fivecoat, Field Station Manager, Bureau of Land Management Hanksville Office, w/encl.

DWQ-2016-012906



United States Environmental Protection Agency Washington, D.C. 20460

Water Compliance Inspection Report

Section A: National Data System Coding (i.e., ICIS)					
Transaction Code $\begin{bmatrix} N \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} N \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$	UPDES O PERMIT		yr/mo/day 1 6 0 7 1 9	Inspection Typ	De Inspector S Fac. Type 2 2 2 2
C O M P L I A N C E E V A L U A T I O N I N S P E C T I O N					
Inspection Work Days Facility Self-M	Ionitoring Evaluation Rating	BI [N] 71	QA [N] 72	73 74	75 80
Section B: Facility Data					
Name and Location of Facility Inspected (Facility Inspected (Facil				Entry Time/ Date	Permit Effective Date
BROMIDE MINING, LLC 22 MILES TO THE BROMIDE BASIN EAST OF HANKSVILLE, UTAH CRESCENT CREEK AND EAGLE BENCH DIRT ROAD (HENRY MOU				1:00 PM 07/19/2016	N/A
			AH DUNTAINS)	Exit Time/ Date 4:30 PM 07/19/2016	Permit Expiration Date N/A
Name(s) of On-Site Representative(s)/Title(s)/Phone and Fax Number(s)					., SIC NAICS, and other
TYLER ALLEN				descriptive information,	
ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNER TRANSCON ENVIRONMENTAL				1459-FELDSPAR MINING	
801-649-5141 EXT 309			1021-COPPER ORES		
Name, Address of Responsible Official/Title/Phone and Fax Number			1041-GOLD ORES		
EREZ GOLDGRABBER OWNER			Contacted		
BROMIDE MINE		Yes No			
28 EAST 100 NORTH HANKSV	ILLE, UTAH 84734				
Section C: Areas Evaluated During Inspection (Check only those areas evaluated)					
			Pretreatment		MS4
Records/Reports	Compliance Schedule		X Pollution Prevention		
X Facility Site Review	Laboratory X Storm Water				
Effluent/Receiving Waters Flow Measurement	X Operations & Maintena		Combined Sewer		
Flow Measurement	Sludge Handling/Dispo				
Section D: Summary of Findings/Comments (Attach additional sheets of narrative and checklists, including Single Event Violation codes, as necessary)					
SEV Codes SEV Description					
B O N 1 7 FAILURE TO DEVELOP A SWPPP					
D O N 1 1 DISCHARGE WITHOUT A PERMIT					
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Name(s) and Signature(s) of Inspector(s)	Agency/Office/Phone and Fax Number(s) Date				
MIKE GEORGE, ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENTIST III		DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY (801) 536-4393 $8-30-16$			
Name and Signature of Management Q A Reviewer JEFF STUDENKA, MANAGER UPDES STORM WATER SECTION		Agency/Office/Phone and Fax Number(s) Date 30-(6			
PA Form 3560-3 (Rev 1-06) Previous editions are	DIAISION O	DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY (801) 536-4395			

INSTRUCTIONS

Section A: National Data System Coding (i.e., ICIS)

Column 1: Transaction Code: Use N, C, or D for New, Change, or Delete. All inspections will be new unless there is an error in the data entered.

Columns 3-11: NPDES Permit No. Enter the facility's NPDES permit number - third character in permit number indicates permit type for U=unpermitted, G=general permit, etc. (Use the Remarks columns to record the State permit number, if necessary.)

Columns 12-17: Inspection Date. Insert the date entry was made into the facility. Use the year/month/day format (e.g., 04/10/01 = October 01, 2004).

Column 18: Inspection Type*. Use one of the codes listed below to describe the type of inspection:

A Performance Audit

B Compliance Biomonitoring

C Compliance Evaluation (non-sampling)

D Diagnostic

F Pretreatment (Follow-up)

G Pretreatment (Audit)

I Industrial User (IU) Inspection

J Complaints M Multimedia

M Multimedi N Spill

O Compliance Evaluation (Oversight)

P Pretreatment Compliance Inspection

R Reconnaissance

S Compliance Sampling

U IU Inspection with Pretreatment Audit

X Toxics InspectionZ Sludge - Biosolids

Combined Sewer Overflow-Sampling

Combined Sewer Overflow-Non-

Sampling Sanitary Sewer Overflow-Sampling

& Sanitary Sewer Overflow-Sampling
& Sanitary Sewer Overflow-Non-Sampling

\ CAFO-Sampling

CAFO-Non-SamplingIU Sampling Inspection

3 IU Non-Sampling Inspection4 IU Toxics Inspection

5 IU Sampling Inspection with

Pretreatment

IU Non-Sampling Inspection with Pretreatment

IU Toxics with Pretreatment

Pretreatment Compliance (Oversight)@

Follow-up (enforcement)

{ Storm Water-Construction-Sampling

Storm Water-Construction-Non-Sampling

: Storm Water-Non-Construction-

Sampling

~ Storm Water-Non-Construction-

Non-Sampling

< Storm Water-MS4-Sampling

- Storm Water-MS4-Non-Sampling

Storm Water-MS4-Audit

Column 19: Inspector Code. Use one of the codes listed below to describe the lead agency in the inspection.

A- State (Contractor)

B- EPA (Contractor)

E- Corps of Engineers

J- Joint EPA/State Inspectors—EPA Lead Local Health Department (State)

N- NEIC Inspectors

O- Other Inspectors, Federal/EPA (Specify in Remarks columns)

Other Inspectors, State (Specify in Remarks columns)

R- EPA Regional Inspector

S- State Inspector

T- Joint State/EPA Inspectors—State lea

Column 20: Facility Type. Use one of the codes below to describe the facility.

1- Municipal. Publicly Owned Treatment Works (POTWs) with 1987 Standard Industrial Code (SIC) 4952.

2- Industrial. Other than municipal, agricultural, and Federal facilities.

3- Agricultural. Facilities classified with 1987 SIC 0111 to 0971.

4- Federal. Facilities identified as Federal by the EPA Regional Office.

5- Oil & Gas. Facilities classified with 1987 SIC 1311 to 1389.

Columns 21-66: Remarks. These columns are reserved for remarks at the discretion of the Region.

Columns 67-69: Inspection Work Days. Estimate the total work effort (to the nearest 0.1 work day), up to 99.9 days, that were used to complete the inspection and submit a QA reviewed report of findings. This estimate includes the accumulative effort of all participating inspectors; any effort for laboratory analyses, testing, and remote sensing; and the billed payroll time for travel and pre and post inspection preparation. This estimate does not require detailed documentation.

Column 70: Facility Evaluation Rating. Use information gathered during the inspection (regardless of inspection type) to evaluate the quality of the facility self-monitoring program. Grade the program using a scale of 1 to 5 with a score of 5 being used for very reliable self-monitoring programs, 3 being satisfactory, and 1 being used for very unreliable programs.

Column 71: Biomonitoring Information. Enter D for static testing. Enter F for flow through testing. Enter N for no biomonitoring.

Column 72: Quality Assurance Data Inspection. Enter Q if the inspection was conducted as follow-up on quality assurance sample results. Enter N otherwise.

Columns 73-80: These columns are reserved for regionally defined information.

Section B: Facility Data

This section is self-explanatory except for "Other Facility Data," which may include new information not in the permit or PCS (e.g., new outfalls, names of receiving waters, new ownership, other updates to the record, SIC/NAICS Codes, Latitude/Longitude).

Section C: Areas Evaluated During Inspection

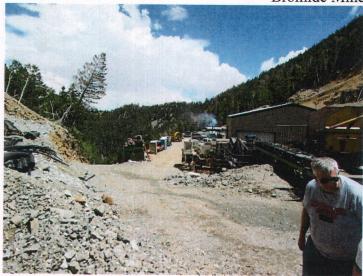
Check only those areas evaluated by marking the appropriate box. Use Section D and additional sheets as necessary. Support the findings, as necessary, in a brief narrative report. Use the headings given on the report form (e.g., Permit, Records/Reports) when discussing the areas evaluated during the inspection.

Section D: Summary of Findings/Comments

Briefly summarize the inspection findings. This summary should abstract the pertinent inspection findings, not replace the narrative report. Reference a list of attachments, such as completed checklists taken from the NPDES Compliance Inspection Manuals and pretreatment guidance documents, including effluent data when sampling has been done. Use extra sheets as necessary.

*Footnote: In addition to the inspection types listed above under column 18, a state may continue to use the following wet weather and CAFO inspection types until the state is brought into ICIS-NPDES: K: CAFO, V: SSO, Y: CSO, W: Storm Water 9: MS4. States may also use the new wet weather, CAFO and MS4 inspections types shown in column 18 of this form. The EPA regions are required to use the new wet weather, CAFO, and MS4 inspection types for inspections with an inspection date (DTIN) on or after July 1, 2005.

Bromide Mine



Main Office Area



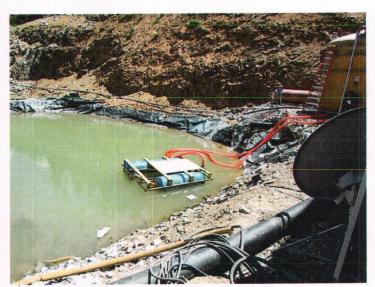
2. Mining Area



3. Shop-Indoors



4. Lined Waste-Water Pond



5. Lined Waste-Water Pond



6. Waste Rock



7. Waste Rock

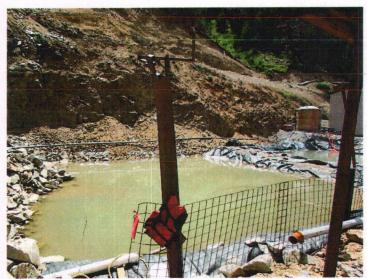


8. Lined Upper Pond



9. Lined Upper Pond





11. Lined Lower Pond



12. Access Road To Mine



13. Access Road To Mine



14. Upper Mine Area



15. Storm Water Pond



16. Sign Below Entrance To Mine



17. Creek Below Mine